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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Peter A. Thayer  
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Examiner: Gerald J. O'Connor  
Title: *System and Method for Inventory Assessment*

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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**Response Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed February 8, 2005, Applicant respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the following amendments and remarks. Please amend the Application as follows.